

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

CORPORATION FINANCE

Mail Stop 3561

March 27, 2017

Via E-mail
Denis M. Holler
Chief Financial Officer
Civitas Solutions, Inc.
313 Congress Street, 6th Floor
Boston, Massachusetts 02210

Re: Civitas Solutions, Inc.

Form 10-K for Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2016

Filed December 14, 2016 File No. 001-36623

Dear Mr. Holler:

We have completed our review of your filing. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Sincerely,

/s/ Rufus Decker

Rufus Decker Accounting Branch Chief Office of Beverages, Apparel and Mining